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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	1 314	1 340	1 401	1 542	1 255
Unemployment rate	%	7.9	7.6	7.4	8.0	6.7
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	5 272	5 332	5 551	5 598	-
Taxable individuals	no.	14 729	15 338	15 921	16 218	-
Taxable income	\$m	454.0	500.1	543.8	583.0	-
Average taxable income	\$	30 826	32 603	34 155	35 949	-
Net tax	\$m	90.6	103.6	113.2	122.0	-
Average net tax	\$	6 152	6 755	7 109	7 520	-
Average net tax ratio	%	20.0	20.7	20.8	20.9	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	11 947	12 473	12 814	13 054	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	332.1	364.0	386.9	407.3	-
Total income	\$m	351.7	388.1	414.0	436.3	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	27 796	29 184	30 191	31 202	-
Average total income	\$	29 437	31 118	32 309	33 425	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 104	1 204	1 265	1 322	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 288	1 272	1 224	1 236	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 530	1 536	1 530	1 499	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 517	1 576	1 629	1 636	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	880	1 002	1 102	1 187	-
Males - Total	no.	6 319	6 590	6 750	6 880	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 040	1 076	1 096	1 130	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 026	1 032	1 035	1 047	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 423	1 439	1 462	1 421	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 535	1 643	1 680	1 717	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	604	693	789	859	-
Females - Total	no.	5 628	5 883	6 062	6 174	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	2 144	2 280	2 361	2 452	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	2 314	2 304	2 259	2 283	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	2 953	2 975	2 992	2 920	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	3 052	3 219	3 309	3 353	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	1 484	1 695	1 891	2 046	-
Persons - Total	no.	11 947	12 473	12 812	13 054	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	955	981	976	-
Professionals	no.	-	2 162	2 074	2 098	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	924	936	958	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	1 320	1 348	1 418	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	231	220	206	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	1 957	1 970	2 044	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	1 047	1 062	1 072	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	1 377	1 462	1 432	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	1 714	1 773	1 877	-
Not Stated	no.	-	1 073	993	973	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	12 760	12 819	13 054	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	1 701	1 737	1 624	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	44.6	46.5	44.9	-	-
Total income	\$m	48.1	51.3	50.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	26 240	26 797	27 641	-	-
Average total income	\$	28 295	29 527	31 144	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	1 037	1 007	950	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	24.4	23.1	22.1	-	-
Total income	\$m	27.3	27.4	26.1	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	\$	23 540	22 953	23 287	-	-
Average total income	\$	26 326	27 196	27 498	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	2 738	2 744	2 574	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	69.0	69.7	67.0	-	-
Total income	\$m	75.4	78.7	76.7	-	-



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Average own unincorporated business income	\$	25 217	25 386	26 034	-	-
Average total income	\$	27 549	28 671	29 799	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	2 760	2 670	2 517	2 439
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	762	825	897	909
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	618	654	726	711
Total businesses	no.	-	4 140	4 149	4 140	4 059
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	405	291	282
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	150	162	198
Total business entries	no.	-	-	555	453	480
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	495	456	372
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	33	15	147
Total business exits	no.	-	-	528	471	519
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	1 185	1 179	1 155	1 101
Mining	no.	-	6	6	6	9
Manufacturing	no.	-	213	198	201	192
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	6	9	6
Construction	no.	-	585	597	582	603
Wholesale trade	no.	-	99	96	99	93
Retail trade	no.	-	459	444	447	462
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	267	285	285	255
Transport and storage	no.	-	282	285	282	249
Communication services	no.	-	39	33	42	39
Finance and insurance	no.	-	117	129	138	135
Property and business services	no.	-	594	597	600	630
Education	no.	-	21	21	18	24
Health and community services	no.	-	123	129	129	126
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	78	69	63	54
Personal and other services	no.	-	69	75	84	81
Total businesses	no.	-	4 140	4 149	4 140	4 059

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year



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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 140	1 150	1 131	1 117	1 160
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 365	1 319	1 321	1 335	1 294
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 446	1 425	1 434	1 436	1 483
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 372	1 373	1 371	1 349	1 312
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	806	815	828	861	916
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	824	811	837	839	818
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 044	1 024	978	947	925
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 125	1 102	1 111	1 138	1 161
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 394	1 375	1 373	1 342	1 301
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 409	1 413	1 432	1 422	1 424
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 438	1 464	1 478	1 497	1 513
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 426	1 491	1 543	1 610	1 622
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 269	1 303	1 396	1 453	1 510
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 150	1 178	1 205	1 255	1 334
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	998	995	1 022	1 058	1 068
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	803	828	830	817	833
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	380	404	460	500	544
Males - 85 years and over	no.	214	206	226	264	289
Males - Total	no.	19 603	19 676	19 976	20 240	20 507
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 051	1 031	1 019	1 020	1 060
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 243	1 217	1 210	1 191	1 189
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 459	1 464	1 462	1 455	1 395
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 220	1 226	1 224	1 236	1 286
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	767	795	821	832	816
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	815	807	817	843	881
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 137	1 108	1 072	1 055	1 024
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 284	1 241	1 254	1 260	1 238
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 440	1 428	1 424	1 390	1 400
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 449	1 469	1 511	1 502	1 506
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 443	1 463	1 501	1 559	1 584
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 408	1 465	1 534	1 577	1 643
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 257	1 287	1 309	1 383	1 449
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 071	1 115	1 173	1 215	1 265
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 003	969	989	1 013	1 023
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	832	857	866	863	865
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	576	611	638	637	639
Females - 85 years and over	no.	475	499	519	564	591
Females - Total	no.	19 930	20 052	20 343	20 595	20 854
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 191	2 181	2 150	2 137	2 220
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2 608	2 536	2 531	2 526	2 483
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	2 905	2 889	2 896	2 891	2 878
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	2 592	2 599	2 595	2 585	2 598
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 573	1 610	1 649	1 693	1 732
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 639	1 618	1 654	1 682	1 699
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 181	2 132	2 050	2 002	1 949
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	2 409	2 343	2 365	2 398	2 399
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	2 834	2 803	2 797	2 732	2 701
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	2 858	2 882	2 943	2 924	2 930
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	2 881	2 927	2 979	3 056	3 097
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	2 834	2 956	3 077	3 187	3 265
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2 526	2 590	2 705	2 836	2 959
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2 221	2 293	2 378	2 470	2 599
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	2 001	1 964	2 011	2 071	2 091
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 635	1 685	1 696	1 680	1 698
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	956	1 015	1 098	1 137	1 183
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	689	705	745	828	880
Persons - Total	no.	39 533	39 728	40 319	40 835	41 361
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km ²	-	-	-	-	2.0
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	3.0
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	7.1
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.3



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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	10.9
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	3.1
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	0.8
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.3
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	6.4
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	6.4
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	18.9
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	13.7
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	47.4
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	17.2
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	14.4
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.8
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	10.0
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	11.0
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	10.2
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.1
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	14.4
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	4 344
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	365
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	10 893
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	15 606
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	3 247
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	622
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	5 508
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	1 105
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	397
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	105
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	10 984
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	32 451
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	5 204
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	21 309
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	12 479
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	94.7
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	5.3
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	55.9
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	12.1
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	32.0
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	29.9
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	18.4
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	7.1
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	13.2
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	24.4
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	26.9
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	51.9
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	407	371	423	387	433
Total fertility rate	rate	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1
Deaths	no.	401	396	393	378	376



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Standardised death rate	rate	7.6	7.4	7.1	6.7	6.3

REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June

Number of Offences

Offences against the person	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

Rate per 100,000 population

Offences against the person	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December

Males	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-
Females	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	341	396	494	387	372
Total dwelling units	no.	377	503	512	439	434
Value of total residential building	\$m	56.3	80.5	94.3	84.7	90.4
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	16.8	30.5	26.4	36.8	27.6
Value of total building	\$m	73.1	111.0	120.7	121.5	118.0
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	693	728	831	829	839
Other vehicles	no.	597	794	867	879	851
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	1 290	1 522	1 698	1 708	1 689
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	21 821	22 502	23 318	23 908	24 471
Campervans	no.	163	176	196	208	207
Light commercial vehicles	no.	6 876	7 189	7 417	7 619	7 792
Light rigid trucks	no.	178	168	173	178	182
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	926	930	938	943	962
Articulated trucks	no.	322	312	298	317	339
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	34	34	39	40	47
Buses	no.	272	255	252	253	272
Motorcycles	no.	1 395	1 155	1 250	1 399	1 560
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	31 987	32 719	33 880	34 864	35 832
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	552	566	578	585	592
Campervans	no.	4	4	5	5	5
Light commercial vehicles	no.	174	181	184	187	188
Light rigid trucks	no.	5	4	4	4	4
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	23	23	23	23	23
Articulated trucks	no.	8	8	7	8	8
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Buses	no.	7	6	6	6	7
Motorcycles	no.	35	29	31	34	38
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	809	824	840	854	866
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	8 434	7 368	6 496	5 637	4 899
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	16 694	18 087	19 837	21 290	22 578
Diesel	no.	4 663	5 065	5 447	5 837	6 253
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	2 196	2 198	2 102	2 099	2 102
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	439 528.9
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	1 752.7
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	2 299.8
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	123.2
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	137.7
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	451.1
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	349 925
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	22 380
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	144 852
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	1 230
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0



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Table 4: Environment/Energy						
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LAND AREA						
Land area	km ²	-	-	-	-	20 931.5
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